Personalities.

the holidays, at the residence of his brother.

Monday in this city, visiting friends. Mr. Thos. C. Lauderdale, who

Butte City, Montana, for some nine menth

will leave for home Tuesday next, after partic

Corsteans has had a \$50,000 fire. Buffalo, N. Y., had a \$150,000 fire Thursday.

A merry Christmas and a happy New Year! Parnell says he will oppose any effort

penniless to America. Six members of the present lower house of congress have died, and one member of the senate.

The vote in the senate on Gen. Pope's confirmation was 37 to 21. Senator seventy thousand dollars. Vest honored himself by voting in the

Honry Keyton was nearly beaten to death at Marshal , last Sunday, by a man named Aulger, whose wife Keyton had

The sub-committee on elections has be unconstitutional and void. Kirk-

The p nsion lists should be published. That alone would expurgate them of many frautulent names, and there is no valid objection to printing them. the state line elevator and nine freight-

for the Lafayette, Ind., district, died at of their reasoning, but, alas! we have Mr. Godlove S. Orth representative 10:40 o'clock last Saturday night. His disease was blood poisoning, superindu-

oars were burned, last Saturday, at Kan-

ced by cancer. He was in his sixtysixth year. The Delaware, Lackawanna and rights. The Harshman case is too Western railroad does not run Sunday fresh in our minds. trains, as the managers believe the efficiency of the service and health and time the decision in our favor is by good discipline are promoted by rest United States rather than by state

on the Sabbath day. republican nomination for president, are much discouraged at the idea that Brother John would have too much "inflooence" with Tecumseh. There isn't a doubt, as 'Squire Beck used to say, if Gen. Sherman were to run, that John would be a good deal of salt on his

A Newark, Ohio, school teacher it, in order to refresh the minds of the search da boy's pocket for tobacco, but people, and in order that now, when found nothing at all in his pocket ex. the people should act unitedly, there cept a dirk-knife, three pistols and a may be no division or disputes among from the salutary effects it has had on their elders in congress.

Mr. Samuel J. Tilden, jr., of Columwhich has been tearful that Gov. Cleveland might fall under the influence Mr. Kelly will please make a note

pondent of the London Post that Dr man Minister at Washington is contra dicted Dr. Schum scher has been appoin short time after Christmas. His ene.

Ex Senstor Randolph, of New Jer- itself and declared the township bonds sey, is quoted as saying in Washington valid. see, and let me tell you that Joe Mo- due diligence was used; and that the next president. There is such an up- a large sum of money for nothing was rising in his favor among the demo- false and unjust. The truth is, that something occurs to very much change of pocket in the cases. This is not parthe aspect of affairs he will get the nomi- ticularly a matter of public interest, nation, and the man who gets the demo-

crowd would not be popular with the average American man he is "off," as the boys say, that's all. Tea parties like that would capture more than a million cy, clear headed and earnest, we think

Guide, a popular exposition of our public land system, is before us, It is edi ted by Henry N. Copp. of Washington. D. C., the well known author. Its cents in cloth; 8vo, 144pp. The chapter on surveys is illustrated, and shows town-hip and section cortain the latest rulings and instructions. Every settler and land man should have a copy of this valuab e little book.

list w ek, makes one statement in an remains secretary of the national repubregarding the some matter, in an article German. The purpose of such victory as the republican party this is opvious, and we propose to at- gained in 1880 they secured through this paper from November 3 to December 8. bribery? And does not Mr. Curtis we have sent to a friend at know that the same sort of rascality.

LEXINGTON TOWNSHIP THEATENED. While most of the citizens of Lexngton township feel very secure in the finaucial situation of the county and

We have this advantage.

be defended, and vigorously.

Messrs. Young & Graves are, so far, out

except that the truth should be known,

and that no fancied wrong should pre-

vent the people from holding up their

hands and alding them in their work of

The apparent majority was so great ownship there is a very serious and that, so far, despite discussion of the grave danger threatening them. matter, this does not seem to have It will be remembered that in 1868 and been questioned: but there is very 1869, there was issued by the county grave doubt about it. court, for and on behalf of Lexington The vote for restraining swine from township, Lafayette county, Mo., to

the Lexington & St. Joseph railroad. running at large was, 2,542; the vote against was, 1,705; majority of votes the sum of seventy-five thousand dolof the government to send emigrants lars in bonds. The interest was paid cast, on this question, in favor of reon these bonds but a short time, they straining swine from running at large, being among the first of our township 837. if now made collectable the principal jority carried the law the county ships aforesaid. It was urged by Mr. what man of a normal and proper dispobonds which were discredited. Thus,

and interest would amount to court has made proclamation that on Kasson and his friends that orders for sition would care to attain such wealth the rector, officiating. Sunday school at 9x something over one hundred and In the littration which ensued Jonas the 7th is Sunday. athan Kirkbride sued the county on some of these bonds, and the case being vigorously defended Judges Krekel and Dillon, of the U.S. circuit

court, decided in favor of the county. declaring those particular bonds to ent thing. The Linneus Bulletin decided to report favorably on admit- bride appealed his case to the United Quotes the Plattsburg Lever as saying ting Cam, the Mormon delegate-elect State Supreme court, where it has that the attorney-general has declarbeen pending since, but it is at last to ed that to be his view of the law. The bill was an excellent bill so far as it be heard, sometime during next language of the law is plain enough. mouth, and it behooves the people of It says, sec. 7,408 :- "If a majority of go far enough. He consented to the inthe township to be alive to their votes cast at any such election shall troduction of the bill as proposed by interests in the matter, as it would be be for restraining swine from runa terrible blow to our tax-payers, and ning at large, then swine shall not be allowed to run at large in such couna perfect incubus upon their property, if this immense sum should be sad- ty."

THE HOG LAW.

Was the hog law legally adopted

in Lafayette county by the vote of

If Judge Gantt's decision in the dled upon them. There is no doubt sas City, Mo, The total toss is about in our mind about the correctness of Bates county case is sustained by the ply to ships built on foreign and domes-

fayette county? Dillon on the matter, or the clearness The total number of votes cannot be obtained by adding up the votes on them all. Consternation reigned on ceased to expect pure law and exact for different candidates, simply be- the republican side. Said the protecjustice from the highest court in this land, which should in very deed be cause many voters vote for only a part tionists: "What will become of our of the offices. The vete cast is the num- iron interests?" Robeson shouted: the palladium of the liberties of the ber of ballots cast which can only be "What heresy!" The republican leadpeople, and the defender of their determined from the names as they ers somewhat frantically yelled: number we took pains, yesterday, to what all this meant, and Mr. Tucker ascertain. It is 5,091. Half of this is quietly explained that it meant than an 2,545 1-2. To be a majority of all the American citizen should be able to votes cast the vote in favor of re- build a ship in an American ship-yard judges; but even this may not save straining swine would have to be or to buy a ship so built as cheaply as us. When this case comes up it should sequently 3 1 2 votes less, and 4 votes believe in discriminating by the laws of The subject of township litigation brings up the contract made

by the county court four or five years ago with Mesers. Wm. Young and Judge Gantt did not pass upon the constitutionality of the law. Alexander Graves, as attorneys for How this state of facts will operate the defense of these bonds. As there has been much demagogical misrepresentation regarding it we will review force here under proper forms, and pack of cards. It is hoped that the ourselves. Briefly, the county court a number of counties situated as is flibustering against the flag of the Wentworth's. tidal wave will wash all such wicked contracted with Messre. Young & Bates county, it is earnestly to be United States and against the equal ness out of the little Buckeyes, judging Graves that they would pay them, to hoped that an early decision may be privilege of American with loreign reached. defend all suits on township bonds

a bare majority of half a vote.

against the county, \$900 in cash and be necessary in many cases to comply Mr. Tucker's fittle amendment. Mr. \$2\frac{1}{2} per cent, on all sums that they with the law the county court might, Tucker exhorted the sergeant-at he returns there will be the arrival to note of should succeed in defeating. As the county was threatened with a stite January meeting, if it changes arms to use equal diligence in getting Prof. and Mrs. Sellers.

moment to Mr. McPnerson the latter case which was pending against Jack- ment made by the senator from Ohio ed to investigate the cause of the deany other honest party in this country was of no avail, the court reversed would continue them in place because

could be better armed upon the question lican representatives, the very gentle than are these two. Knowing the law men who are now considering the ques touching upon it from lutimate connecthe township's luterests are in good vivid picture of the legal examination hands, but, as in the multitude of counbefore the people, that if anything more can be done or suggested it may not undergoing examination the next day Mac Veagh for his opposition to their chief of the St. Louis fire insurance patrol, hot words pas-ed between them. indorses the verdict of "thiet" against lican committee despite his tainted reputition? And does he not know that ment and sorrow already engendered huancial difficulties, as the present

able to treat the marter intelligently Hayes? And does he not know, and term, Mr. Clardy stated that Col Broad-We did not bring it up to must not every honost lover of his head did not question Dr. McLean's misrepresent anybody, or for a quarrel, country see, that the only way to stamp election on the face of the returns. known regarding it, by the people of the country, and especially and especially calm about it, and not perfectly calm about it is agrand thing to both a decision. The democrate not only elected the people at the restate of S. T. the court house was right there are any suction or salks, and is in good or republicans of Lexington. The court house was right there are any suction or salks, and is

The value of a word is sometimes Jay Gould and Wm. Vanderbilt are very great. Two words at times may running a desperate race with each change the destiny of a state. How other for riches. Let them! Out much two words can do may be illus- bono? They can't wear more clothes trated by recalling a little incident of than ordinary men. They can't enjoy the long session of the present con- literature or art half as well as do gress. Randolph Tucker, of Virginia, is a thousands of men of moderate means. wit, as well as a demograt of broad, for they have not the time. They canstatesmanlike views. Sometime before not eat as much, or enjoy it one tenth the occasion to which we allude Mr. part as well, as an honest, contented Kasson, of the committee of ways and laborer. And when the old fellow with means, proposed in that committee a the scythe comes along he will reap bill allowing ships built in American them so clean that they will leave the of duties payable and paid on articles not a thread, or a gem, or a dollar can On the supposition that this ma- entering into the manufacture of the they take with them. Another thingand after sixty days from the general ships would be received and had been that its possession would be considered election the law will go into effect. received in this country, but the duties a menace and a threat to the liberties This will be on Monday, January 8, on the materials necessary for their and happiness of his tellow-men? Better construction were such as to forbid far a competency, with contentment But the position is taken by the American ship-builders from taking happy family ties, and the sense of an circuit court, in the case of Bates and filling these order. Mr. Kasson effort toward duty well performed. county, that it takes a majority said that if this proposed rebate were The Odessa Herald takes what we of the votes cast at the election to be allowed ship-building in this fear is an Eutopian view as to the propcarry the law. This is a very differ- country would be greatly enlivened, and er course to pursue regarding levies by employment would be furnished to many hundreds of American laborers. We agree with our contemporary in its Mr. Tucker in committee said that the views regarding the encroachments of went, but that in his judgment it did not

the federal judiciary, but we do not think it practicable to recapture our county judges when they are committed for contempt, vi et armis. Granting Mr. Kasson, but when it reached the house he moved to amend by inserting between the words "foreign" and "account" the two words "and domestic" We think not. We recommend a possiso that the proposed rebate would apble course, and until a better possible course is suggested we shall have to \$80,000 and the insurance about \$65,000. the views of Judges Krekel and supreme court how will it affect La- tic account, thus taking off all the adhere to our advice, which is, that the duties on articles entering into the concourt shall make no more levies, even struction of ships, or allowing a rebate though they are subjected to maprisonment for contempt. As for the reconstruction of our federal judiciary on s basis more in conformity with the intention of the framers of our government, there is not much chauce for reform appear upon the poll books. This "Absurd!" They wanted to know from power. Mrs. B. M. Boulware is quite ill. greater than this. It was 2,542, con- a foreigner could, and that he did not Santa Claus will be in Lexing less than would be necessary to secure this country against the citizens of Mr. Jerry Chamberlais this country and in favor of a nation that has driven our merchant marine saturday in Kansas City. off the seas. Mr. Tucker's amendment was adopted viva voce. The redren very sick with pneume in this county we cannot now posi- publicans shouled for tellers and then tively say. The law has been put into it was adopted. The republicaus meanhe for New York and she for St. Lenis while were crying: "No quorum!" will have to be obeyed until set aside and the year and nays were called. A legally. The supreme court may not call of the house was moved and the sustain Judge Gautt, but as there are republicans were compelled to resort to Presbyterian part

ship builders. The matter went over, Muster M. L. Wood, of the navy, is here As very considerable expouse will but there are volumes of argument in preme court sustaining Judge Gantt. greater priveleges and exemptions than potent an anti-protective argument has

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Religious.

services at the Methodist church to Bov. A. Meore will preach at Eden View to-morrow morning at 11 e'clock. rew morning and night by Rev. Dr. Talbird. merrow morning and night by Rev. Geo. I.

a number of conversions. Daily services at the Catholic church, 8% o'clock, a. m.; Sunday services 8 and 10% e'clock, s. m., and 2% e'clock, p. m., Rev. J. There will be service at Christ Church (Protes ant Episcopal), to-morrow morning at 11 o'clock; in the afternoon at 2% o'clock; and in

the evening at 7 o'clock; Rev. E. M. Pecke, morning and evening at the usual hours. Eld. will spend Sunday with the pastor. Will occupy ship requested. All cordially invited

expect to remain several days at each place and hold Sunday School Institute. I hereby request

SOUTH WASHINGTON.

"Offset" writes from South Washthat the U.S. courts have usurped jurisdiction to which they should not be
entitled, is the concession a remedy?

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the conference died of congestion of the stomach, Dec. 18...As Mr. N. Alkire's little boy, Eddie, was riding en a load of wheat, the other day, his hat blew of In attempting to catch it, he lost his balance, fell to the ground and the wagon passed over his breast, nearly killing him. He may still die from the effects of it.... Wheat is not injured so far.... Lyocum at Wolfenbarger's school house Wednesday nights."

A LITTLE DIRT.

The Odessa Herald is our authority for the statement that the day after the election two rebel flags were unfurled astic citizens of that town. A correspondent writing to the Intelligencer de-nies the story, but until we hear from played.—Lexington Register. It so happens that the Odessa Her-ald is not authority for any such act. Our cotemporary is just a little off. Off so far as to state that which is not true. Read a little more carefully before you make your statements. A cor respondent from Bates City did state that semething of the kind was done in that town, and that is disputed.

There are indisputable evidences in the Register that the above statement was made for mischief, because the same issue of that paper contains the same communication from the same man in Bates City, trying to convince people that what he said in a few lines, after the election in a communication to the Herald upon a variety of subjects of

of the clear denial contained in the even in a social way, for it will unden the Register again this mach to alleges that the Herald does not enter any denial of it. What do our Odessa. triends think of that kind of journalism?

MAYVIEW.

"De Novo" writes from Mayview "Robt. Goodwin has built a new gress, spent last Saturday, Sunday and part of dwelling and business house combin-Tucker as a residence and jewelry eshere, and have commenced a platform sixty feet in length, with a view to build an elevator next spring ... Eld. George Shauklin, of the Christian hurch, has purchased the Fred Mar tlu property and greatly improved the same....Our Baptist brethren have taken steps to move their church now two miles from here to Mayview. in the spring, so there appears to be a future for Mayview yet...Quite an evening in the jewelry establishment of J. E. Tucker. He had a prize watch up to be given to the lucky holder of The numbers went from 1 to 300, any dollars was soon sold out. A colored ounty visiting his father and friends, and paid fifteen dollars worth, consequently be intelligeneer a pleasant call yesterday. He was entitled to fifteen numbers, and 100 acres to a German for \$4,800. All ward the success the temperance people who have larms to sell would do well are working for than the prohibitory 100 acres to a German for \$4 800. All auce companies, insuring against fire, a part of their school assisted by the lower at the Christian church. The will be running by the first; poles and entertainment will take place Friday

and its many readers." r Washington City, Monday next, to spend winter with the family of John Q. Wilson, THINKS HE MUST BE DRUNK OR and a happy new year,

chants, mechanics, et al, are all bu

consequently happy A merry

The citizens of Odessa should call a meeting and denounce the men who with his family to-day. . . . James E. Hall must not do it again .- Lexington

AN INTERESTING KANSAS LETTER.

LEAVENWORTH, December 18. EDITOR INTELLIGENCER :- The election of a democratic governor here in Kansas, is a wonder at which astonishment-both at home and abroaddoes not die away in a week; in other words, it is more than a seven days' really taken place, and so very unexpectedly, too, despite the predictions that such would be the result, the various places which contributed toward making Mr. Glick governor are Jellies, Potted Meats, &c. setting forth claims for positions upon that gentleman's staff, Leaven worth suggesting the names of two of her itizens. Just where Mr. Glick will choose from is something yet to be determined, but, there seems no reason to doubt that his selections will be good ones, and it is the prevailing opinion that his administration will be

and not solely and entirely for himself as a certain other gentieman has been for the past four years. He is with the ville on Thursday night January 4, 1863, and people in all things tending to better Higginsville, Friday night, January 12, 1883. 1 the state, particularly as regards legisation regulating the railroads in the state, which seems to be considered the most important of the public affairs. In fact, there is such an earnes desire to control these corporations by stringent laws-but with-no endeavor the newly-elected members of the legislature was held, to consider this matter five legislators, but only a few of the *en-ators were present. I learn that the not know what measures were resolved

HE IS WITH THE PROPLE.

entirely satisfactory, for

dom hears anything about him, and what he intends to do in the future, I any and all callers. cannot say. Before the election he was United States senatorship, but no more of that is heard. The political talk is rather of a democratic nature than otherwise, and there is even some rivalry as to which county is the "banare aspirants for places filled by apused as an argument for recognition, which gives Leavenworth confidence of the people of that region, we must being something like two thousand macontinue to believe the flags were displayed Laylories B. and the second of the people of that region, we must being something like two thousand macontinue to believe the flags were displayed Laylories B. and the second of the people of that she will be represented, her vote being something like two thousand macontinue to believe the flags were displayed Laylories B. and the second of the people of that region, we must be people of that region, we must be people of that region, we must be in the people of the people of that region, we must be people of that region, we must be in the people of that region, we must be in the people of that region, we must be in the people of that region and the people of that region and the people of that region are the people of that region and the people of that region are the people of that region are the people of that region are the people of the people of that region are the people of the peop county, in which Topeka is situated though giving only about six hundred majority for Mr. Glick, claims to have done better then Leavenworth county did, for there a REPUBLICAN MAJORITY OF THREE

was overcome, while here the demo crats were partly in control of the county offices, and with the exception of sheriff—there being no vacancy this next term. And it is said that at the en-suing city election, to be held in April, there will be another democratic triamph. There is some reason, I think, in Shawnee county's claim to have the banuer. And such gentlemen as Judge Foster, of the United States circuit firmation or denial. A little dirt, we all republicans, are most anxious that the

> u-ual way of inducting governors, but a grand ball and a royal least. Preparations are making now, with great zeal, and the democratic club of Tope-ka, which has the matter in hand, promises to give the first democratic governor of Kansas a "send off he will remember for life." There will be no martial or military display, but festivithe lady readers of the Intelligencer that Mr. Glick is as well liked by their ive that he is a good man. Many of them, who will honor the in ugural ball, have ordered dresses from Worth,

erance cause is damaged by persons who send abroad the news that prohi any dispute, and whenever a saloon was closed in the smaller towns, suoth-er one was opened in the cities. I told you in a previous letter, that the Tope-ka saloons were all closed. They are open again, however, "at the same old stands," and running right along. Colonel Carpenter, a revenue collector -and he ought to be pretty good authority—says that under prohibition there were eighty hundred and sixtysix more government licences issued under that law there is none the government license to pay, I venture the assertion that were the law repealed and one regula-ting the sale of liquor as in other states

which would be do more than pro-hibition has done or can do, and the DRESS GOODS. not now receive, although the liquor is thing been accomplished. A strict license law would be more effectual to-Leavenworth cont nues to boom, most of her factories running double time, and some even then behind their orders.

proving quite successful. brother of Mr. Ernest Hoffman, at Lexington, and is a clever, suergetic gentleman. The merchants' telegraphic wires are being erected for th light; we are to have a new opera had good troupes this season, both in The opera and drama, and are to have more, and without meaning to be profane I say the Lord knows we need one-so, with al this, can you doubt the town booms? Wishing the Intelligencer, in fact all of Latayette county, a merry Christmas

I am yours, most truly, THINKS HE OUGHT TO BE IN A LUNATIC ASYLUM It the democratic party gets full con-

to see a rebel flag floating from the dome of the capitol at Washington Register. or crazy? No living creature has ever charged that a "rebel flag" has been hoisted in Odessa for the last five madice and deleat have made them mad.

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Every large Retail House takes its semi annual account of stock within six weeks after the new year. Our House is no exception t the rule. We take stock February 1st. Th point wherein we differ from them is, that whil they wait until the latter part of January befor making a serious effort to reduce stock,"

WE LOSE NO TIME!! Herald upon a variety of subjects of the United Beauty local character, was true. It the editor court, who were leaders of the rewill read his own paper of last week he need not wait to see the Herald tor connumbered eight hundred members, and numbered eight hundred members eight hun

An old proverb says that "he gives twice who gives quickly," and a genuine Bargain WINTER GOODS offered now is worth least two as good, but not offered till February.

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